

# New York State Department of Transportation

## Yellow Flag NB23U4W021

By: Malav Shah

Flag Date: May 24, 2023

Superseding Information:

No Flags Superseded

### Structure Information

**BIN: 1065318**

**Feature Carried: 278I278IX2M23027**

**Feature Crossed: 6TH AVENUE**

**Orientation: 8 - NORTHWEST**

**Region: 11 - NEW YORK CITY**

**County: KINGS**

**Political Unit: City of NEW YORK**

**Approximate Year Built: 1962**

**Posted Load Matches Inventory : Yes**

**Bridge Load Posting (Tons) : Not Posted for Load**

**Primary Owner: New York State Department of Transportation**

**Primary Maintenance Responsibility: 12 - State - Subcontracted to another Party**

**Typical or Main Span Type: 3 - Steel, 02 - Stringer/Multi-Beam or Girder**

**This Bridge is not a Ramp**

**Number of Spans: 322**

### Verbal Notification Information

**Person Notified: Muhammad Mubeen**

**Date: May 26, 2023 3:00:00 PM**

**Of: NYSDOT Region 11**

### Signature Information

**Signature: Malav Shah, P.E. 106620-1**

**Date: June 21, 2023**

**Reviewed By: Robert Kemp**

**Date: June 21, 2023**

**Attachments: 8**

### Flagged Elements

Parent Element	Element	Total Quantity	Unit
<b>Span Number : 206</b>			
	107 - Steel Open Girder/Beam	989	ft
	PR831 - Steel Beam End	42	each

### Flagged Condition Description

This Yellow Flag No. NB23U4W021 is a new flag.

Location: Span 206, Girder G19 at Pier 205

Description:

Girder G19 web exhibits 41% overall section loss between upper cope and lower cope on the right face, along the connection angle. There of also a 1/2" diameter hole with 90% section loss in surrounding area of 2" x 2" right below upper cope. This 41% section loss is spreaded over an area of 16"H x 8-1/2"W along the connection angle. Adjacent to this, there is 3/16" to 1/4" section loss in lower web for 8-1/2"H x 18"L along bottom flange. Upper web on right face exhibits 1/16" pitting for up to 15"H x 22"L. Top flange on right side exhibits 1/8" to 3/16" section loss for 4"L x 4"W at the girder end.

Girder G19 lower web on left face exhibits up to 3/16" section loss for up to 2"H x 6"L along the bottom flange near bottom cope. Above this area, there is up to 1/8" section loss in area of Up to 3"H x 26"L. Stiffener angle on left side has an area of 3-1/2"W x 9"H with up to 70% section loss in lower portion of connecting leg. Remaining face of the connecting leg exhibits up to 45% section loss with up to 25% section loss in all 4 bolt nuts.

Bottom flange exhibits 1/8" to 3/16" section loss for Full width of flange x up to 48" L.

Notes:

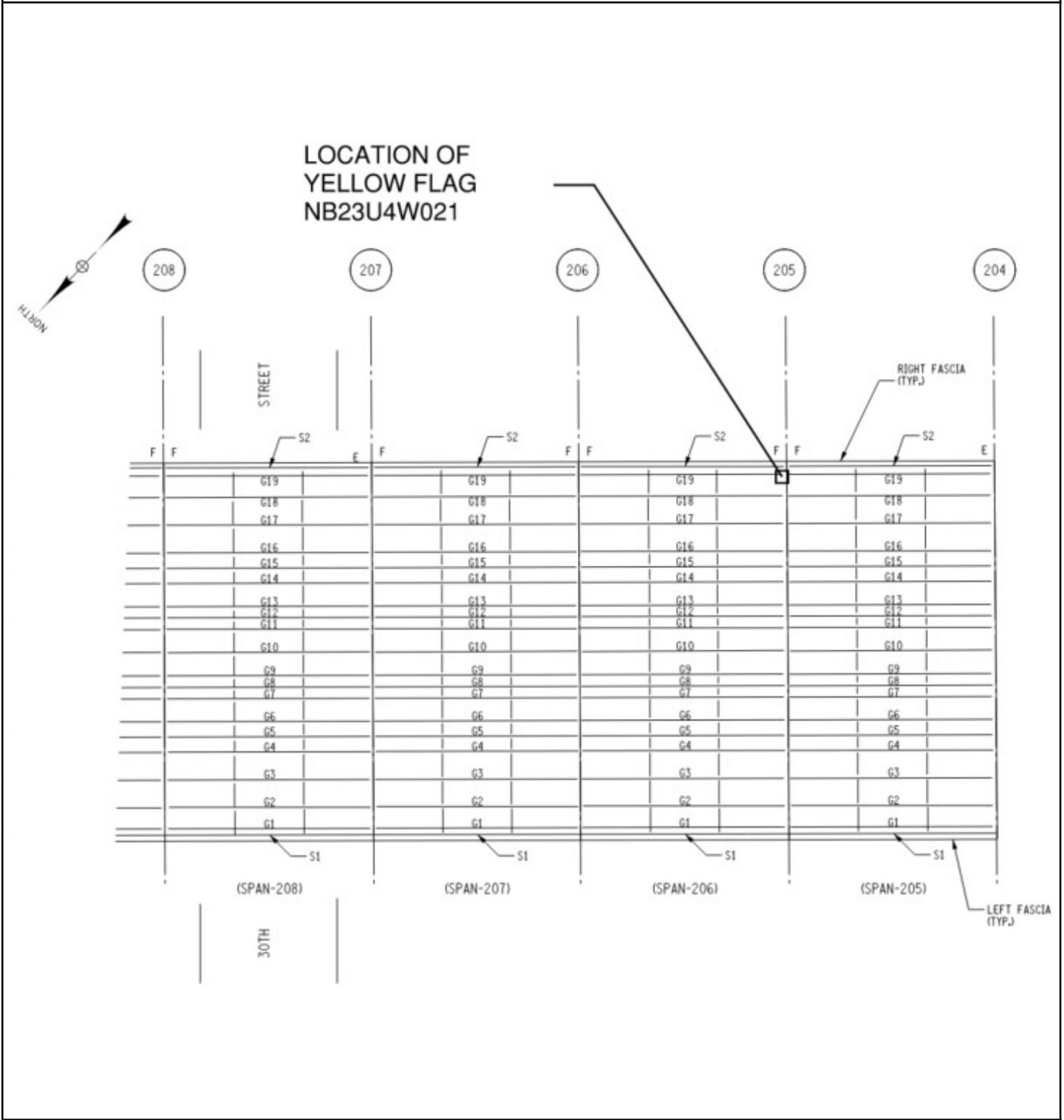
- 1.The affected member, Girder G19 is a load path redundant steel girder consisting of a web depth of 19" inches and thickness of 0.62 inches and is located under the deck in the roadway, approximately 12" off the edge of curb line / safety walk. All dimensions were measured in the field.
2. The adjacent Girder G18 has repair plates at girder end with no significant section losses.
3. The adjacent Stringer S2, approximately 24" on center, acts as a support for the railing and curb area above.
4. A double lane closure on 3rd Avenue Westbound with a 35' bucket truck is required to access the flagged location.
5. The previous 2022 SILO CS-3 inspection at this location has following description of defect:

The end of Girder G19 in Span 206 at Pier 205 exhibits heavy corrosion with section loss in the web along the connection angles for 1/8" deep for full web height for 2" wide at the left face with 3/16" deep area for 6" H x 2" W at upper web of the girder face and 1/8"-3/16" deep for full web height for 5" wide at the right face. The upper web exhibits 1/2" diameter corrosion hole at the top cope. Also, the lower web above the bottom flange exhibits section loss for 1/16" deep for 12" L x 2" H at the left face and 1/8" deep for 24" L x 3" H at the right face. The connection angles at both faces of the girder exhibit moderate to heavy corrosion. The weld is missing at both ends of the bottom flange cover plate as well.

Flag Photographs

Photo Number: 1

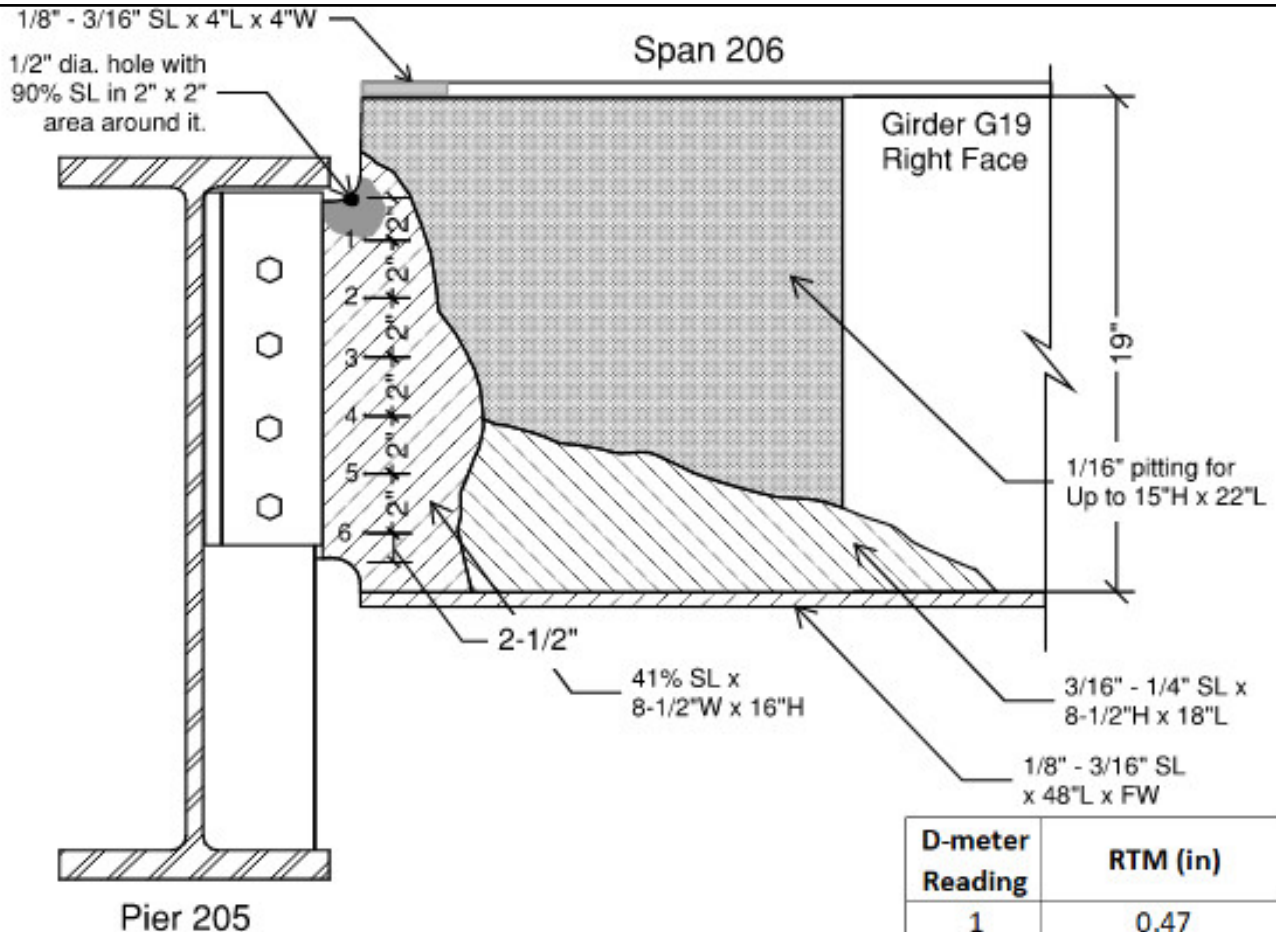
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Attachment Description: Flag Location Plan

Photo Number: 2

Photo Filename: NB23U4W021 CONDITION SKETCH 1.JPG

**Section Loss Calculations:**

Original Girder Web Thickness = 0.62" (as measured in the field)

As Built shearing web area = 14.5" H x 0.62" T = 8.99 sq. in.

Average remaining web section =  $[(0.1 \times 0.62) \times 2"] + [0.47 \times 2"] + [0.45 \times 2"] + [0.47 \times 2"] + [0.5 \times 2"] + [0.347 \times 2"] + [0.3 \times 2.5"]$   
 = 5.348 sq. in.

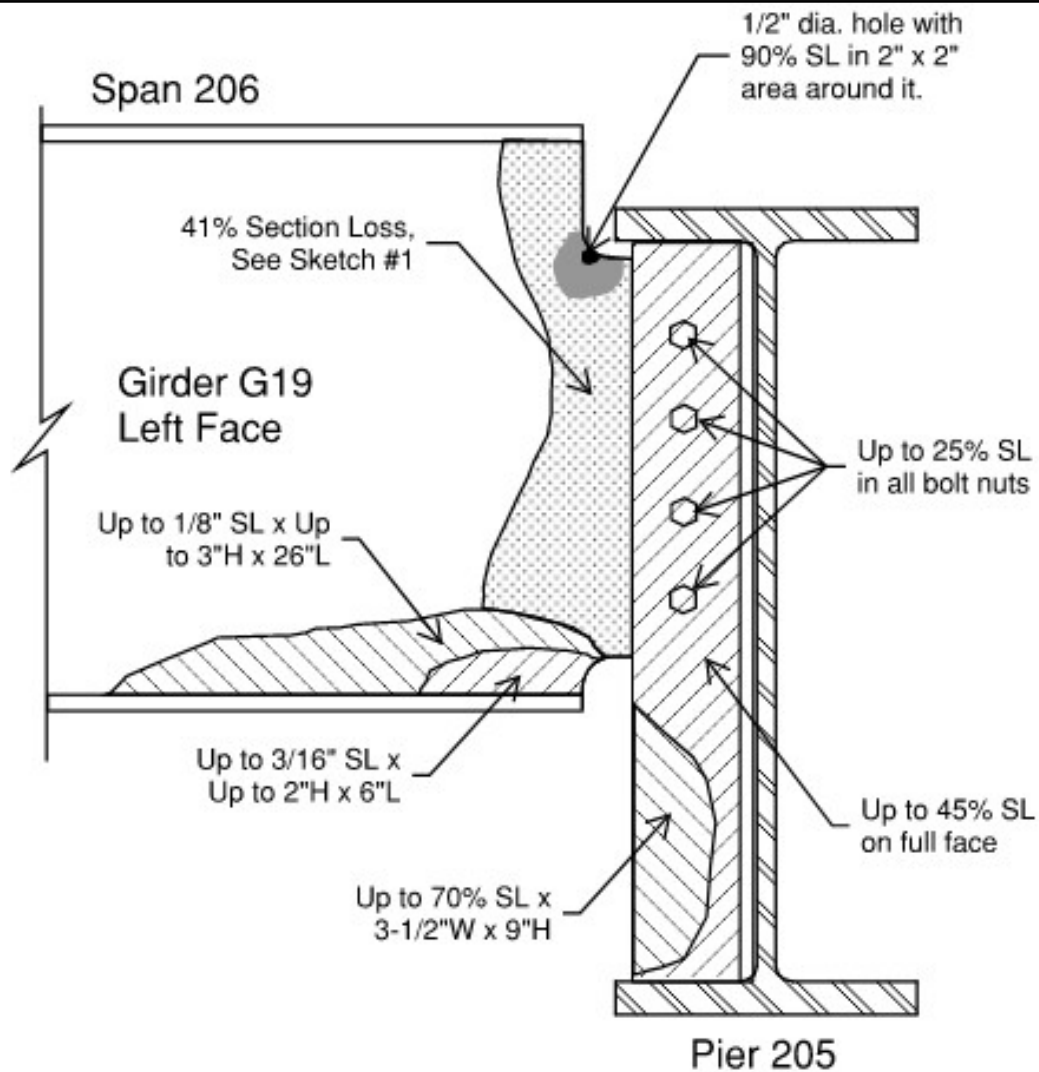
Web section loss –  $((8.99 - 4.448)/8.99) \times 100\% = 40.51\%$  SAY = 41%

**SKETCH FOR YELLOW FLAG # NB23U4W021**  
**SPAN 206, GIRDER G19 AT PIER 205**  
**(LOOKING LEFT)**  
**N.T.S**

*Attachment Description: Flag Condition Sketch 1*

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**SPAN 206, GIRDER G19 AT PIER 205**  
**(LOOKING RIGHT)**  
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*Attachment Description: Flag Condition Sketch 2*



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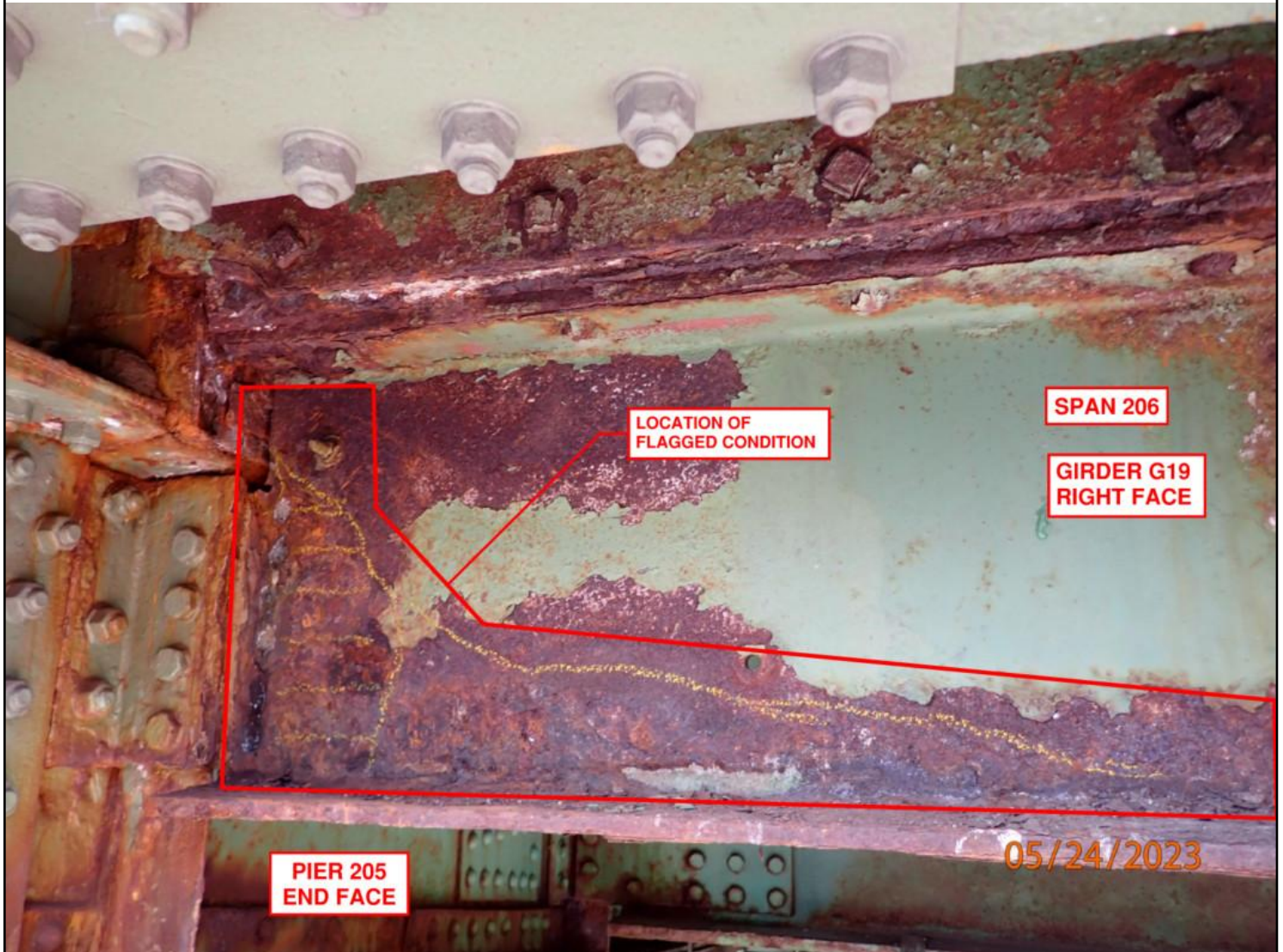
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**Attachment Description: General View of Flag Location. Looking Begin - Up**

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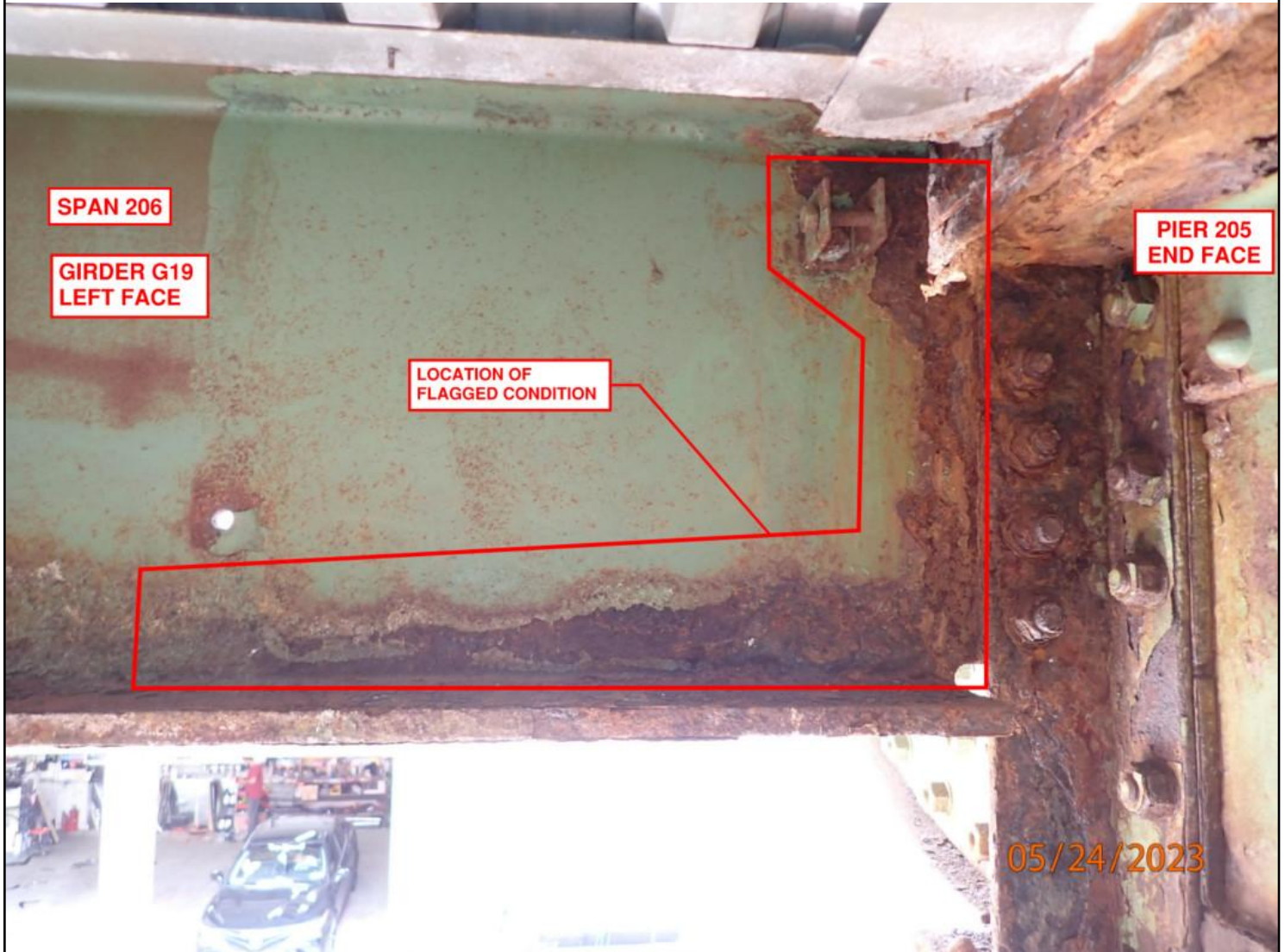


**Attachment Description: General View of Flag Location on Right Face. Looking Begin - Left**



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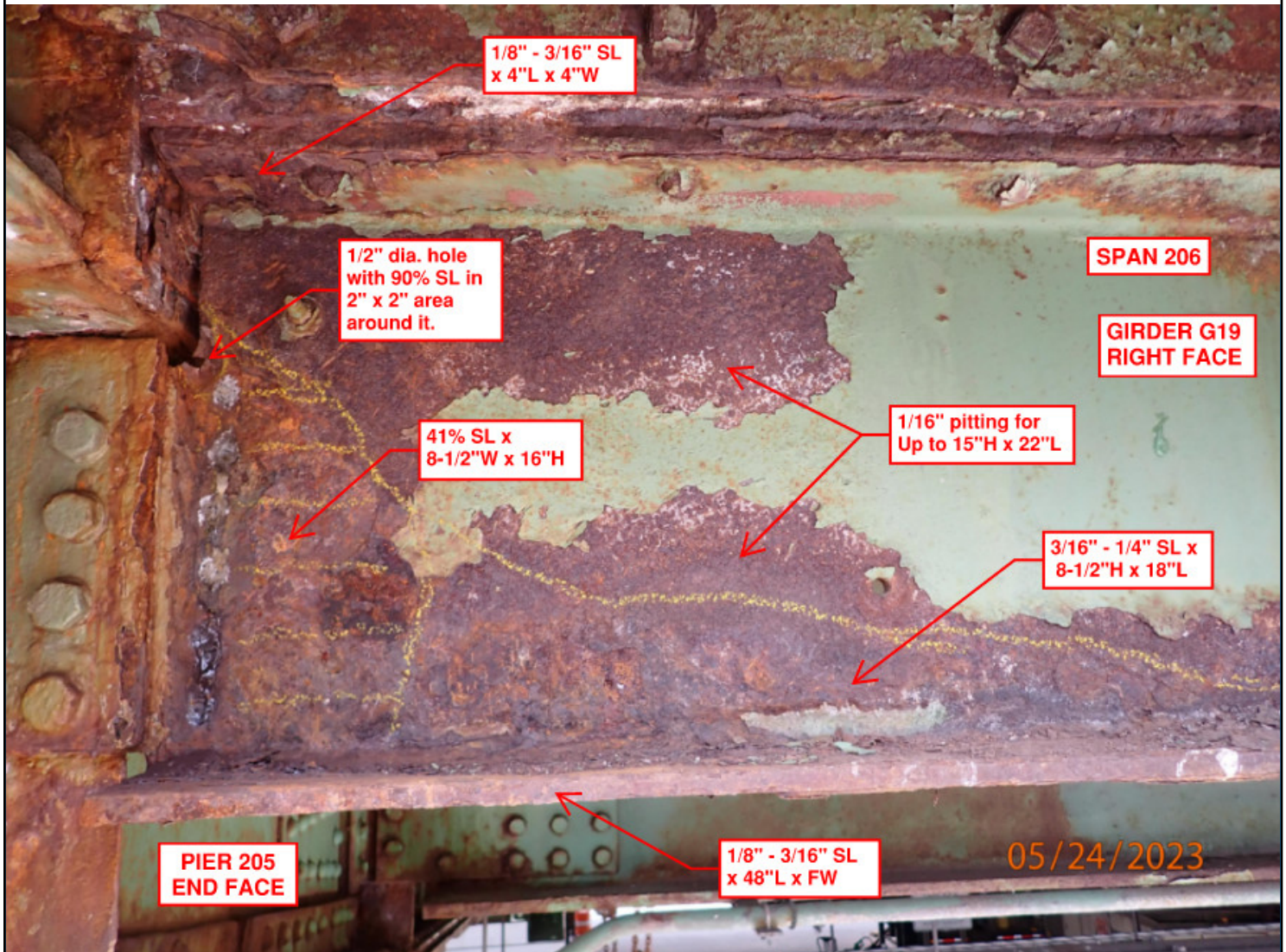


**Attachment Description: General View of Flag Location on Left Face. Looking Begin - Right**



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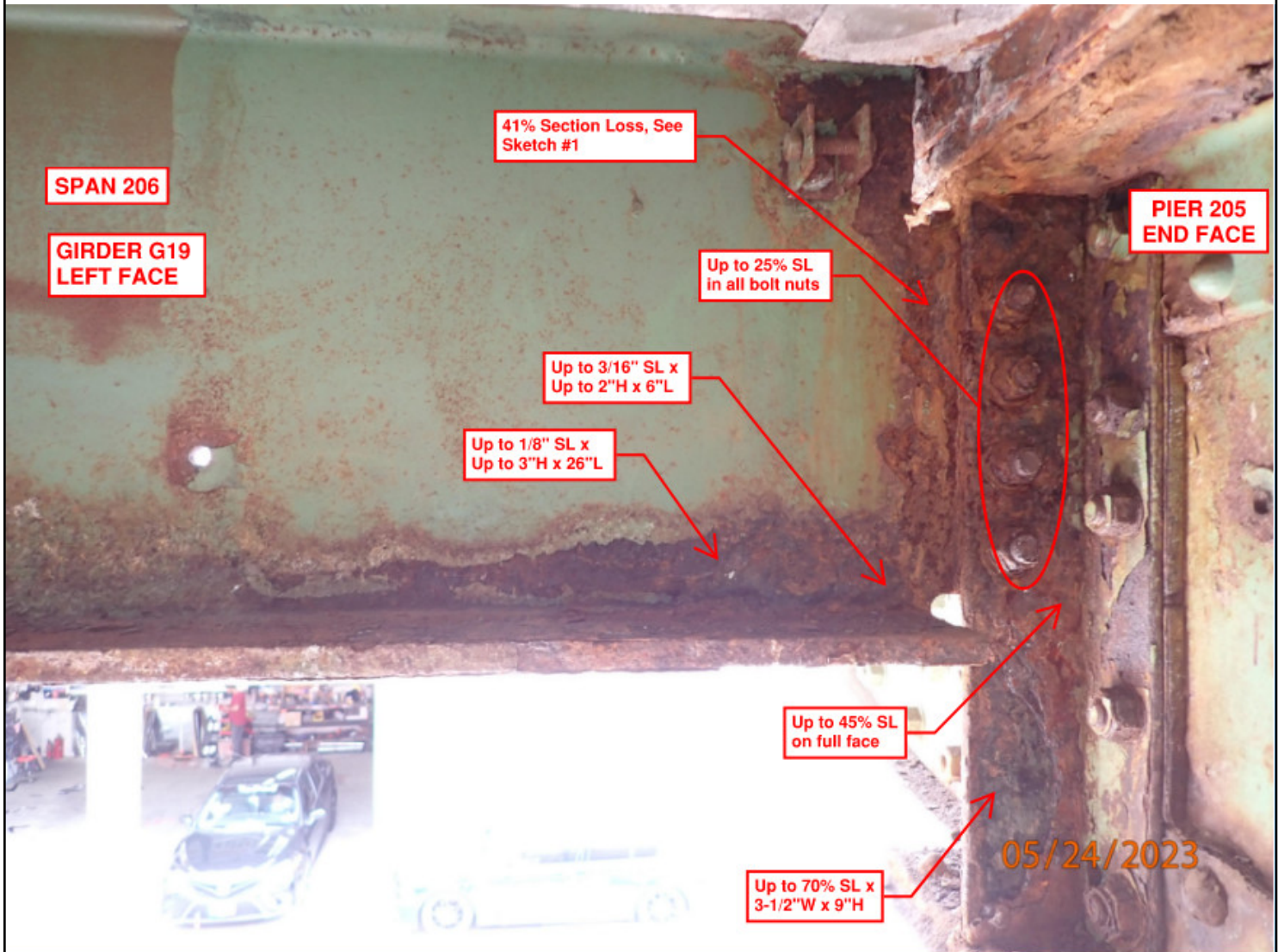
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